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Responsive to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2004, kindly enter the following amendments for the above-identified application:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.